

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

CUSTOMER NO. 22927

Applicants: Walker *et al.*

Application No.: 10/682,062

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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
AUTHENTICATING DATA RELATING TO USAGE
OF A GAMING DEVICE

Attorney Docket No.: 02-034

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Examiner: Christian E. Rendon

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE
to the Final Office Action mailed December 08, 2008**

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Dear Examiner:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed December 08, 2008,
please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.